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Law Library Update

Changes are coming to the law library. I have accepted a position as director of the Franklin County Law Library beginning July 1, 2013. It has truly been a pleasure being your law librarian since September, 2001. As most of you remember, back then the library was up on the 3rd floor of the courthouse. We had resources in three rooms and shared office space with the Bar Associa-10th Annual Summer Intern 2

> After a lot of hard work by many people, the library was able to move into its new location in August, 2004. In conjunction with that move, the library automated its collection and organized the library according to the Library of Congress classification system. This allowed users to find what they were looking for much easier.

> Since the move, the library has undergone many more changes. In March 2005 our funding became threatened and librarians all over the state mobilized to ensure our future. Lake County was a leader in that effort, serving as the point person with a lobbying firm hired by several of the law libraries.

> In 2010 legislation completely revamped the way county law libraries operate. Instead of being private associations serving only members of the bar association, we are now county agencies, serving all citizens of Lake County. This has been an adjustment for everyone, but I think the change has been successful in Lake County.

> I am so grateful for all the opportunities given to me by all the board members I served under—Stephen Byron, Ken Gauntner, I. James Hackenberg, Brooke Kocab, Judge Eugene Lucci, James Lyons, James O'Leary, Christopher Tucci, Gerald Walker, and Frank Weiss. Their faith in me allowed me to take on responsibilities statewide. Without that experience, I would not have the opportunity I do now.

I have enjoyed working for and with members of the Lake County Bar Association and I will miss you all. If you're ever in Columbus, please stop and see me.

Thank you, Angela

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Book Sale

Don't' forget the law library's ongoing used book sale. All superseded books are available for purchase. Hardback books are \$10 and paperbacks and CDs are \$5.

Stop in often to browse the ever-changing selection. Right now we have the 3 volume Florida Rules of Court, 2 volume Federal Civil Rights Act, and Federal Criminal Code and Rules, just to name a few.



10th Annual Summer Intern Training



The Lake County Law Library is pleased to offer training sessions for any summer intern or new hire in your office. This is a great way for new members of your staff to learn their way

around the Law Library.

The librarians will be giving tours on the resources available at the library and services we provide to our users.

Summer intern training will be offered at the Law Library by appointment only on May 30 or 31, 2013. Each session will be an hour in length. Please call the library to schedule a time.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

LIBRARY CLOSED

May 27, 2013 July 4, 2013 September 2, 2013

SERVICES

The law library shall provide legal research, reference, and library services to County and State employees, authorized legal practitioners, and their staffs. Services are as follows:

- Print library of over 1600 titles
- Laptops with Microsoft Office
- Sony digital camcorder
- Optoma media projector with screen
- Audio tapes, video tapes, and anatomical models and charts
- Portable X-Ray view box for courtroom presentations
- Reference assistance and technical training
- Wireless internet access throughout the library

- Complimentary copy of Connexus
- Document enlargement to various poster size along with matching frames
- Polycom VSX 7000 videoconferencing equipment with multipoint software for depositions, testimony, etc. **
- Fax service to or from your home or office **
- Photocopies **
- ** Fees for service may be charged